

AMENDMENT OF THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph that bridges Pages 4 and 5 of the above-identified patent application directly under the heading, Brief Description of the Digital Micrographs, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Figure 2 Digital Micrograph-1 is of an epoxy coated can with imperfections.

Figure 3 Digital Micrograph-2 is of an FEP coated can.

Figure 4 Digital Micrograph is of a-3 is of a PFA coated can with non-optimized coating.

Figure 5 Digital Micrograph-4 is of a PFA coated can with optimized coating.

Figure 6 Digital Micrograph-5 is of an Epoxy coated can with drug.

At page 6 of the specification, please replace the last paragraph, which begins at line 15, with the following new paragraph:

Advantages of the present invention included the ability to distinguish between cans used for MDI products, with various surface smoothness, i.e., possible imperfection in the surface of cans coated with the same material, e.g., epoxy coated cans. See Figure 2 Digital Micrograph-1. Another feature of the invention is to distinguish between cans coated with various materials, e.g., epoxy coated versus teflon coated. See Figure 2 and 3 Digital Micrographs-1 and 2. Another advantage of the invention is to distinguish between cans coated with the same material such as teflon, but cured at different conditions. See Figures 4 and 5 Digital Micrographs-3 and 4. Another advantage of the invention is to detect drug deposition on the surface of these cans. See Figure 6 Digital Micrograph-5.